



DSS Directors Statewide Conference Call May 6, 2014

Child Support Services

Daisie Blue, Chief

Incentives

- Incentives: \$5,810,910 paid April 30
- Settlement: To be paid in May
- **Incentive funds must be reinvested in the Child Support Program: 45CFR§305.35 Reinvestment**
- Reinvestment opportunities may include training, conferences, special projects, etc. Incentive waivers can also be requested for fatherhood initiatives.

NCGA Child Support Evaluation

- Draft report completed
- In review process
- Report will be presented to Legislative Oversight Committee in June
- Exact date of presentation unknown

Affidavit of Parentage (AOP)

Effective May 1, 2014, AOP processing changes were implemented

- ACTS processing changed to eliminate duplicates and prevent requests with insufficient data to process
- AOP and birth certificate will be provided at same time to eliminate duplicate Vital Records charges
- Hospital AOPs will be scanned by SMI and made available in the Smart Image Viewer

DNA Testing Contracts

- Current contract expires June 30, 2014
- New RFP and proposals in review
- Statewide contract recommended, but not mandatory
- Benefits are cost, training for workers, results data base
- Contracts outside of the State contract must meet same criteria as the State contract.
Requires review by the Central Office staff

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- Ties for Victory Junction



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